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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

Reconsideration of the rejection of claims 1 to 9, 11 to 16, 18 and 19 as being unpatentable over <u>Christel</u> in combination with <u>Encyclopedia</u>, and <u>Pelletizing Systems</u> and <u>Culbert</u> is requested.

Examiner Listvoyb is cordially thanked for the courteous and informative telephone interview on June 2, 2008 during which the undersigned pointed out that Christel is not available as a reference against the claims of this application.